PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

ALBERT et al.

Serial No.: 09/430,412

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"MUTATIONS OF THE 5' REGION For: OF THE HUMAN 5-HT1A GENE, ASSOCIATED PROTEINS OF THE

5' REGION AND A DIAGNOSTIC TEST FOR MAJOR DEPRESSION

AND RELATED MENTAL

ILLNESSES"

Group Art Unit:

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PARTS

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231 ON March 7, 2000.

SHERIDAN ROSS P.

Assistant Commissioner For Patents Box Missing Parts Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 30, 1999, in connection with the above-identified application, enclosed herewith please find a Declaration, Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status and Request for Extension of Time. Please note that the Assignment documents have been submitted to the Assignment Branch under separate cover on this same date. Also enclosed please find a check for \$635.00 which includes payment of the small entity filing fee in the amount of \$380.00, \$65.00 for payment of the surcharge, and \$190.00 for payment of the fee for the extension of time. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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